

SINCE JULY 18 ALLIES TOOK 100,000 GERMANS

BRITISH ATTACK NEAR BAPAUME

General Byng Smites Enemy on
Ten-Mile Front and Takes
Four Towns.

FRENCH CAPTURE RIDGE

British Assault Made in Mist at
Dawn With Brief Artillery Pre-
paration—French Dominate
Noyon and Railway.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Lassigny has been captured by the French forces, whose lines have now reached the outskirts of Chiry-Ourscamp, southwest of Noyon. The official statement says that 20 villages have been liberated and that the French have advanced about five miles at certain points.

London, Aug. 22.—The tide of defeat still surges heavily against the German armies in France and Flanders. On four important sectors, French and British arms again have been served and the entire German front from Ypres, in Belgium to Soissons, on the Aisne, now is more seriously menaced than before.

French troops of General Mangin, operating from the region two miles northwest of Soissons to the Oise river and those of General Humbert fighting between the Oise and the Matz—have materially pushed forward their fronts, bringing them to positions which threaten to compel the immediate evacuation of the entire Somme-Oise salient from Bray to Noyon.

Farther to the north, between Albert and Arras, Field Marshal Haig has followed up his successes of previous days by a new offensive over a front of about 10 miles and driven forward his troops for wonderful gains over the entire line, capturing a number of villages, taking prisoners and guns and inflicting heavy casualties upon the enemy.

London, Aug. 22.—On the line south west of Arras, British forces struck the Germans over a front of approximately 10 miles at dawn.

According to meager details received from the scene of the new assault, the British under General Byng have advanced from two to three miles and have captured the towns of Moyenneville, Courcelles, Achietle, Petit and Beaucourt sur Ancre and have reached the town of Achiet le Grand. The assault was begun under cover of a mist which materially assisted the British in their advance. There was a very brief artillery preparation, and it would appear that the plan of attack was similar to that followed south of the Aisne July 18, and north of Montdidier Aug. 8. A large number of tanks participated in the attack.

British Approach Bapaume.

Unofficial dispatches appear to indicate that the British advance has carried the battle line up to a point three miles from Bapaume, an important highway center and a place reputed to be an important German base in the northern Picardy sector.

If the British drive continues to press the Germans back along the northern side of the Picardy salient, the enemy forces further south would appear to be in a serious position.

Double Attack in Flanders.

In the Flanders battle area the Germans also are under heavy pressure. The British official report states that during last night an attack was made from Festubert, just northwest of Lens, to the Lawe river, a distance of more than four miles. The village of La Touret, at about the middle of this line, has been captured. This makes an advance of nearly a mile at this point.

On the northern side of the Lys salient the British made a local attack over a mile front near Loere today. The important Dranoutre ridge has been wrested from the enemy and the Loere hospice, a group of buildings which has been the scene of frequent and terrific fighting since April, has been attacked.

First Liberty Bonds Sell at 105

New York, Aug. 22.—Three and one-half per cent Liberty bonds have reached 1.05 the highest yet.

W. P. HARDING

Again named governor of Federal reserve board.



W. P. Harding of Birmingham, Ala. has been designated by President Wilson to his third successive term as governor of the Federal reserve board.

OCCUPY POINTS ON RAILWAY

Americans Relieve the Czechoslovaks of Patrol Duty.

Vladivostok, Aug. 22.—According to the request of General Dieterichs, the commander of the Czechoslovak forces in Siberia, the head of the American forces recently landed here is dispatching a limited number of troops to occupy points along the railroad between this city and Nikolai. Junction point of the Trans-Siberian railway with the line running to Khabarovsk. This will release several hundred Czechoslovaks for service on the Ussuri front.

GUNS PROTECT HARVESTERS

Italians Gather Crops on Recent Pivotal Battlefield.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Thrashing machines were concentrated along the right bank of the Piave last week and the rich bottom wheat over which raged the sanguinary battles of the disastrous Austrian advance and retreat were harvested, according to some reports. Much of the harvesting was done within range of the Austrian guns, but the harvesters were declared to have been well protected by the Italian artillery.

SPAIN ADOPTS CENSORSHIP

Curbs Sensational Stories on Relations With Germany.

Madrid, Aug. 22.—In order to avoid sensational comment on its declaration relative to relations with Germany, the Spanish government has instituted censorship throughout the country.

Foreign Minister Dato says there is no truth in the report that Germany has sent a note to Spain breaking off diplomatic relations or inviting Spain to alter any of its decisions.

AGAINST PREMATURE PEACE

American Boys at Front Desire Military Decision.

Washington, Aug. 22.—"If our people at home have the same feeling as our splendid boys at the front, there will be no premature peace," said Representative Young of North Dakota on his return from a visit to the European battlefield. He said the American soldiers are more than maintaining American standards of temperance and morality.

BRITISH CASUALTIES 8,411

Week's Losses Include 1,517 Officers and Men Killed.

London, Aug. 22.—British casualties reported in the week ending Aug. 21 totaled 8,411, compared with an aggregate of 8,620 reported in the previous week. These are divided as follows: Killed or Died of Wounds—Officers, 210; men, 1,307.

BIG COUNTER OFFENSIVE HAS BEEN SUCCESSFUL

French Armies Closing in on Noyon From Two Directions---Bombard- ing at Short Range

Germans' Heaviest Guns are Unable to Stop General Byng's Advance---Six Additional German Divisions in the Hun's Defensive

American Bombing Expedition

BY FRANK J. TAYLOR
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

With Americans Afield, Aug. 22.—American bombing planes crossed the lines yesterday with the intention of attacking Longuyon. The clouds interfered and they refrained from attacking as they did not desire to terrorize the civilian inhabitants. They all returned safely.

Haig Reports 3,000 Prisoners Taken

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 22.—General Haig reported that the Germans after fruitlessly counterattacking the positions the British won yesterday north of the Ancre, again launched heavy assaults in that sector this morning. Between two and three thousand prisoners were taken during the attack.

German Pirates are Sinking Fishing Vessels

Canadian Port, Aug. 22.—The Canadian steamer Terrump, now German pirate, is still prowling off shore seeking fishing vessels.

100,000 German Prisoners Taken Within a Month

(By United Press)

Paris, Aug. 22.—Since starting the counter offensive July 18, the allies have taken 100,000 prisoners says the Echo de Paris.

French Closing in on Noyon

BY WEBB MILLER

Paris, Aug. 22.—The armies of General Humbert are closing in on Noyon from two directions, and in some places are only a few hundred yards from the town. They are heavily bombarding it with field guns. Also raining shells on the German exits toward Ham twelve miles north. The military writers say that Noyon is already untenable. Fighting on a thirty-five mile front is continuing. In 48 hours the French have taken 15,000 prisoners.

Senator James' Con- dition Unchanged

Baltimore, Aug. 22.—The condition of Senator Ollie James is unchanged.

British Attack is Going Good

BY LOWELL MELLETT.
(United Press Staff Correspondent.)

With British Afield, Aug. 22. (11:15 A. M.)—The attack on high ground between Albert and Bray this morning is reported going good. This represents a front of six miles. The fighting continues less favorable than yesterday. The Germans are opposing Byng's advance north of the Ancre with the greatest desperation. Six additional German divisions have been identified. The Germans have used their heaviest guns through the night.

French Advance Nine Miles Between Oise and Aisne

(By United Press)

Paris, Aug. 22 (Official)—General Mangin's troops have reached the Ailette river in advancing between the Oise and the Aisne. Fighting is continuing on the whole front from the region of Lassigny to the neighborhood of Soissons. The French have advanced nine miles since Saturday.

TORNADO CAUSES SERIOUS DAMAGE

CHARLES HUMBERT

French senator charged with communicating with enemy.



A French government commission has sent to the military governor of Paris a report tending to charge Charles Humbert, a senator and the former owner of the Paris Journal with communicating with the enemy. A bill will be introduced at the opening of the senate on Sept. 17 providing for the suspension of parliamentary immunity.

GIVEN RIGHT TO ORGANIZE

War Labor Board Award Affects Munitions Workers.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The rights of workers of ammunition plants to organize in trades unions or groups and to bargain collectively through chosen representatives is recognized and affirmed in an award made public by the national war labor board in a controversy between the Smith & Wesson company, arms manufacturers, and their employees at Springfield, Mass. The board ruled that any employees discharged in violation of the principles of the award should be restored to their positions and paid for all time lost on account of the discharge.

Bandits Peril Oil Supply.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Skilled American and British workmen in Mexican oil fields are threatening to leave, alleging their lives are unsafe, representatives here of private oil interests asserted. State department officials had heard nothing of such a step recently, although for many months skilled workers have been dissatisfied with their protection. Exodus of these men would hold up the oil supply to the navies of Great Britain and the United States.

MILITARY RUSHED TO SCENE

Two Men Killed in Battle With Alleged Deserters.

Huntington, W. Va., Aug. 22.—A number of alleged army deserters, tracked by a posse into the hills of Mingo county, West Virginia, resisted arrest and in a pitched battle which ensued Deputy Sheriff George Dillon and a man named Ellis were killed.

Aid was asked from Charleston and a special train carrying deputy United States marshals and members of the state military police is rushing to the scene. Twenty members of the militia reserve from Huntington are en route to Mingo.

Special Trench Ration Provided.

Washington, Aug. 22.—For use in the trenches and under first line conditions in France a special reserve ration has been worked by the subsistence division of the quartermaster's corps. The ration is packed in camouflaged galvanized iron tins, each container holding 25 rations and weighing about 107 pounds. The ration consists of hard beef, corn beef, corn beef hash, roast beef, salmon sardines, solumble coffee, sugar, salt and the necessary can opener.

Cyclone Wrecks Tyler Hundreds Killed and Injured

(By United Press)

Florence, Minn., Aug. 22.—The entire business district of Tyler, Minn., near here, was wiped out by a cyclone that struck between nine and nine-thirty last night, according to E. Anderson, a business man of this village, who returned this morning from rescue work at Tyler. Wire communication with Tyler was severed when the cyclone wrecked the telephone exchange there. Anderson says the dead total over fifty now, twenty-five bodies having been taken from the ruins. The storm struck the center of the business district where many buildings were destroyed. Where the buildings were built of brick the demolition was complete. Eleven patients in the Tyler hospital were killed and the hospital wrecked. A meeting to discuss the fair was being held in the Farmers' State bank when the storm struck. Five were killed there. Three persons were lifted from the ground and hurled against the steps of the Catholic church and killed. Anderson estimates the total injured at two hundred.

Relief Special Rushed to Tyler

(By United Press)

Florence, Minn., Aug. 22.—A special train carrying nurses and doctors has been rushed to Tyler to aid in relief work. John Erickson, returning from Tyler at noon, says he believed that twenty-five were dead and fifty or sixty were injured.

ALL WIRES ARE DOWN

Many Business Houses and Dwellings Are Destroyed and Bulk of Deaths Occur in Hospital That Was Wrecked.

Sioux City, Ia., Aug. 22.—According to reports received here over railway wires, thirteen persons were killed and many business houses and residences wrecked by a tornado. Telegraphic communication with the stricken town is cut off.

Most of the 13 bodies recovered are said to have been removed from a hospital that was destroyed.

Aid was rushed to Tyler by special trains from Pipestone and Ruthven. Florence, a small station on the Great Northern railway, is six miles distant.

It is from Lind that the first reports of the disaster were received. Connors has a population of about 1,500. The latest report said it had been practically wiped out by the cyclone and that it was believed there were many deaths in the ruins of wrecked buildings.

British Attack Between Ancre and the Somme

(By United Press)

London, Aug. 22.—General Haig reported the British attacked on the whole front between the Ancre and the Somme at 2:45 this morning. This is a strong German defensive position.

This Gloucester Fisherman Beat the Submarine



Captain Clayton Morrissey, of the Gloucester fishing schooner Walrus, off the New England coast, was attacked by a German submarine. Two shots went across the bow. He was unarmed. He ordered every sail on his ship spread to the breeze, and he escaped.

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Cooler, occasional showers.
Co-operative observer's record, 7
P. M.—
Aug. 21, maximum 80, minimum
54. Reading in evening, 73. South-
east wind. Trace of rain.
Aug. 22, reading in evening, 66.
Rainfall at night, 0.83 inch.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES
News of Parties, Visitors, Vis-
its, Deaths, Accidents, Etc.,
gratefully received by the Dis-
patch. Telephone North-
west 74.

For Spring Water phone 264. If
J. P. Saunders of Backus was in the
city today.

Kenneth Kingsley broke his right
arm while trying to ride a horse.

Take Johnson Bus line for Fort
Ripley dance Friday evening. Rate
reasonable. 6912

Mrs. Peter Knutzen went to Duluth
today to visit her daughter Miss Em-
ma Bartling.

Fred Ward of St. Cloud, prominent
nurseryman, was a guest of Rev. and
Mrs. F. W. Hill.

Let Olson hand wash your rugs.
Phone 39. 101f

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Drogseth have
returned from their honeymoon trip
to the Twin Cities.

Miss Florence Garvey, guest of
Mrs. Estella Cole, returned this after-
noon to her home in Minneapolis.

T. M. Nicholson of the State De-
partment of Labor was in the city and
paid the Dispatch office a pleasant
visit.

Crystal Spring water, \$1.00 month.
L. Bourassa, Telephone 13. 541m

Mrs. George Day, guest of her hus-
band's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Day,
went to North Platte, Neb., this af-
ternoon.

Miss Hallie Carnes, who has been
visiting at Brainerd for a short time,
has returned home.—Little Falls
Transcript.

Dance at Ft. Ripley Friday, Aug.
23. Blue Ribbon orchestra. 6713

Miss Mae Squires leaves today for
Winnipeg, S. D., after spending her va-
cation with her parents Mr. and Mrs.
Henry Squires.

Mrs. W. Manbeck and son Maurice
left Little Falls Tuesday for a visit
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. Rich-
man of Brainerd.

Miss Stella Houle returned this
noon from Little Falls and was ac-
companied by Miss Mable LaFond
who will visit in Brainerd.

BEST THEATRE
TODAY
Elsie Furguson
IN
The Song of Songs
See Ad

Sending Funds Away

IN the dead letter office at Washington a force
of clerks is engaged opening letters, which for
various reasons, mainly improper or careless
addressing, fail to reach their intended destination.

Thousands of letters are opened which contain cur-
rency, the ownership of which it is impossible to trace.

But when bank drafts are found, their restoration
is quite easy.

There are various ways of safely transmitting funds
through the mails, but business houses prefer the
Bank Draft. Post-office and express orders do not
admit of many endorsements, and the exchange on
them costs the sender more than when a bank draft
is purchased.

Should a bank draft become lost a duplicate is
issued on application and payment on original
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some other forms of exchange.

The business-like and all-round satisfactory way
to send funds away is to purchase a Bank Draft.

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SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Harvey Churchill and sister, Miss
Hattie Churchill, of Morris, Manito-
ba, are guests of their sisters, Mrs.
A. E. Bunnell and Mrs. F. Rich of N.
E. Brainerd.

Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Bouck, of Roy-
alton, have returned from Lake Hu-
bert after spending a few days at
their cottage at that place.—Little
Falls Transcript.

Mrs. Albert Kosbab and son, Rev.
Walter Kosbab, of Springfield, Ill.,
have returned to Brainerd after
spending the summer with her sons
on the Pacific coast.

Visit Anderson's studio today,
formerly Opsahl's. Special prices to
men in uniform. 6716

The car for the shipment of waste
paper has been ordered and will be
spotted next Monday morning near
the N. P. wagon road opposite the
express office building.

Wm. Garvey and Theodore Schaefer
were part of a threshing crew at
Tollefson's in the Nokay Lake coun-
try. They were pitching bundles.
Rye and wheat were threshed.

Corporal George A. Kennedy of the
federal food administration is on the
Cuyuna Iron range today to see that
the Cash and Carry system is carried
out as promised by the merchants.

For Sale—1918 Ford car run four
months. Herbert Peterson, at Pri-
deaux & Roller's garage. 611f

Rev. H. G. Stacey, formerly of this
city but now of Cloquet, was in the
city today between trains enroute to
Callen lake where he will spend the
week end at the cottage of C. P. Cox.

Mrs. Jennie Labey of Mendota, dis-
trict manager of the Woodmen Circle
was present at the meeting of the
Woodmen Circle White Pine Grove,
No. 28, in the small Iron Exchange
hall.

Guaranteed Homer Pipeless Fur-
naces for sale by D. M. Clark & Co.
391f

Mrs. John Aris of Hancock, Mich.,
mother of Mrs. Fred T. Lincoln and
Mrs. George Fisher of Hibbing, only
sister of Mrs. Lincoln, are her guests
this week, arriving Tuesday after-
noon from Duluth.

Mrs. E. E. Martin and children re-
turned to Spokane, Wash., on Wed-
nesday after spending the summer
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John
Gibb of Long Lake. Mr. Gibb ac-
companied them as far as Staples.

Miss Delle Lillian Van Walk has
returned from her annual vacation to
the Pacific coast. At Tacoma she
visited with her uncle, E. O. Kosbab,
at Everett with uncle and aunt Mr.
and Mrs. R. F. Kosbab, at Sedro-
Wooley with uncle and aunt, Mr. and
Mrs. Arthur Kosbab, at Seattle with
her aunt Mrs. Peterson.

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umn and a quarter Wednesday eve-
ning. There were 13 help wanted, 7
for rent, 17 for sale and 2 miscel-
laneous wants. Telephone your
wants to the Dispatch, Northwest 74,
or mail the ad or have it sent to the
office. Ads are cash. Cent a word
first insertion, half a cent a word
each insertion after.

A meeting of the Brainerd Rifle
club will be held at 5 P. M. today at
the water and light board office to se-
lect a representative to participate in
the national shoot at Camp Perry, O.,
where 3,000 shots of army, navy, mar-
ines, colleges, civilian life, will be
entered in competition early in Sep-
tember. There will be rifle and re-
volver shooting.

Considerable good roadwork has
been done on the Thirteenth street
road. Rocks which formerly littered
the highway have been removed and
clay and gravel hauled into holes.
There remains now but one very bad
spot and that is near the little bridge
at the end of the cement strip. The
road is badly cut up at that point and
full of chuck holes and no rut to fol-
low.

Big dance to be given by Maple
Grove Red Cross Auxiliary Saturday
evening, Aug. 24, at South Long Lake
hall. Fine music, speaking, singing,
with dedication of service flag, and
supper. Excellent time guaranteed
all who attend. 6714

The Brainerd City band concert
Wednesday evening was one of the
best given this season. Every num-
ber was given in fine shape. The
clarinet solo of Richard H. Rehl was
out of the ordinary. Three addition-
al men played with the band, tuba,
trombone and baritone. Prof. Wm.
P. Bartsch was especially good on the
tuba. "The Fighting Allies" was given
splendidly and evoked the heart-
iest applause.

For bargains in houses and lots,
see J. R. Smith, Sleeper Block. 2261f

William F. Peet, Miss Peet, C. L.
Peet and Miss Scotten of Minneapo-
lis, motored to Brainerd, being on
their way to Itasca State Park and
other points. Mr. Peet is the state
manager of the Mutual Life Insur-

ance company of New York of which
D. D. Schrader is district manager.
Mr. Peet expressed himself as highly
pleased with Brainerd and vicinity
and spoke in high terms of the excel-
lent roads, fine country and splendid
roads traversed. From Brainerd they
traveled to Pillager and thence north
on the Walker road. They will re-
turn home on the Lincoln highway.

RECRUIT BALKS AT THE JOB

Declared He Had Only Agreed to Get
Kaiser and Couldn't Take On
Whole Germany.

"Are you willing to go across and
fight the Germans?" asked an inter-
viewer in the mustering office in
former cafeteria No. 2 of a young Florida
negro at Camp Dix, whose personnel
record he was completing, the query
being one of the formal questions put
to every recruit.

"Ah don't know 'bout dat, boss!"
answered the colored boy. "Ah thought
yur jes' wanted me to go get the
kaiser. Bin a-banker' to fix that ole
Rat Face, but does yuh mean yuh
want me to lick da whole gang?"

The interviewer explained the situa-
tion. The young negro's home board
had told him they were going to send
him to Europe to "get the kaiser" and
he came to camp thinking it was a
single-handed job. His face brightened
when he found that in his personal
part he would have the backing of
several million allies.

The personnel questionnaire made
out in the mustering office brings some
amazing answers from the southern
negroes recently brought there for
training. One couldn't remember where
his father was born.

"Well, was he born in the United
States?" asked the interviewer. "No,
indeed, suh, no indeed!" replied the
recruit. "He was born in Virginia!"

The same recruit wanted to show
that he could qualify under every ques-
tion. "Are you a member of any lodge
or fraternity?" was a query put to
him. "Good Lawd, boss, I should say
I was! I se a palbeater."

New uniforms are being issued to
these Florida recruits and they are
the proudest soldiers in the camp.
They have taken to the military game
like ducks to water, and officers are
amazed at the cleverness they are
showing in learning drill orders in ele-
mentary army work.

TO DRIVE AWAY MOSQUITOES

Kansas Professor Makes Public Pre-
paration He Claims Is Effective
Against Pests.

Campers and tourists who are
harassed by mosquitoes can find relief
by use of repellants, points out George
A. Dean, professor of entomology, Kan-
sas State Agricultural college.

Where time and circumstances will
not permit of sanitary means of con-
trol, an effective repellent can be made
by the use of one ounce of cedar oil,
two ounces of citronella and two
ounces of spirits of camphor.

A small amount of this solution ap-
plied to the face and hands or on a
handkerchief tied around the neck
will keep the mosquitoes away. Equal-
ly good results may be obtained if the
liquid is applied to a cloth and hung
near the face when mosquitoes are
troublesome at night.

An Unheralded Event.

An announcement has appeared in
the newspapers so insignificant that it
has almost passed unheeded. The size
of the item was altogether out of pro-
portion to its importance. The single
paragraph was to the effect that the
swinging bridge over the Suez canal
at El Kantara, about 35 miles south
of Port Said, had been completed. Yet
that bridge affords direct railway com-
munication between Cairo and the cit-
ies of Palestine; it conquers the desert
which separated Egypt from Palestine,
and which has for centuries barred the
march of nations; it joins Asia to Af-
rica, and it assures the world that the
Holy Land will hereafter be under

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WOMAN'S REALM

SURGICAL DRESSING CLASS ATTENDANCE

Surgical dressing class attendance Tuesday morning: Mrs. Geo. Bertram, Mrs. C. F. Beugnot, Mrs. G. E. Brown, Miss Jean Burnett, Mrs. Ed Hall, Mrs. T. E. Jones, Mrs. J. V. Otis, Mrs. Louis Sandberg, Mrs. Geo. Whitney, Mrs. A. J. Cullen.

Tuesday afternoon: Mrs. H. E. Brooks, Mrs. Powell, Mrs. Winslow, Mrs. Fern Clark, Mrs. Beugnot, Mrs. J. W. Koop, Miss Lillie Paine, Mrs. E. W. Jenkins, Mrs. John A. Hoffbauer, Mrs. G. E. Malstrom, Miss Dorothy Smith, Miss Helen Polk, Mardelle Taylor, Mavis Robinson, Della Cossette, Mardelle Winters, Cora Mattson, Lucille O'Connor, Katherine Hubbell, Abbie Batchelder, Marguerite Carmichel, Mrs. McClennahan, Mrs. H. Ribbel, Mrs. Julius Deering.

Tuesday evening: Lucille Nolan, Katherine Nolan, Abbie Batchelder, Marguerite Carmichel, Ruth Simmons, Mildred Skauze, Mardelle Taylor, Della Cossette, Joe Dunn, Mardelle Winter, Alvia Benson, Viola Peterson, Mame Britton, Lorraine Morrison, Cecile Morrison, Mrs. Geo. Anderson, Mrs. C. F. Beugnot, Mrs. Louis Sandberg, Doris Grondin, Mrs. Fern Clark, Mrs. Helen McDonald, Hannah Olson, Lillian Paine, Maude Williams, Irma Simmons, Mrs. R. S. Johnston, Mrs. C. C. Lindsey, Mrs. L. E. Babcock.

Wednesday afternoon: Helen Polk, Dorothea Clark, Della Cossette, Marguerite Carmichael, Florence LaBlanc, Bernice Benson, Lucille Koehler, Helen Siegel, Mary Siegel, Lillie Paine, Viola Peterson, Lorraine Morrison, Dorothy Fisher, Irene Samuelson, Mavis Robinson, Abbie Batchelder, Marjory Simmons, Dorothy Smith, Alice Anderson, Mardelle Winter, Cora Mattson, Mayme Britton, Elvie Benson, Margie Giles, Master Joe Dunn, Mrs. Dan Whitney, Mrs. Clarence Stickney, Mrs. J. M. Elder, Mrs. W. S. McClennahan, Mrs. H. P. Dunn, Mrs. Henry I. Cohen.

Men's Club

The Men's club of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church will meet at the home of Peter Stendal, 1524 Pine St. S. E., Friday evening, Aug. 23, as it is Mr. Stendal's birthday. All members and other friends are most cordially invited to be present and help him celebrate his birthday.

Hunch Almost Justified.

After shaking hands at the ferry dock the other day, one colored man inquired of another: "Didn't you marry de Widow Jones about de first of January?" "Dat's me—I did," was the answer; "but I've dun left her." "Why, how's that?" "Well, de fust week she called me honey; de next week she sulked around and called me old Richards; de third week she cum for me wid a flatiron, an' I see kinder, got a hunch she don't like me."—Exchange.

GREAT ARTISTE COMING

Madame Zarad of the Chicago Grand Opera Company Will be Heard in Brainerd

Next Tuesday and Wednesday nights, in the First M. E. church, Mme. Francesca Zarad, the distinguished French prima donna soprano of the Chicago Grand Opera company will be heard in two magnificent programs. Miss Jessie Wolfe, an American concert pianist and accompanist, of admirable attainments, will be at the piano for the great French singer, assuring her sympathetic and intelligent support.

Madame Zarad is touring the Northwest during her summer vacation in the interest of the fund for the rehabilitation of the blinded soldiers of the allies. This great artiste is contributing her services to this great cause without monetary compensation of any kind. In fact, the tour has cost Madame Zarad several hundreds of dollars, independent of her time.

Madame Zarad receives fees of \$350.00 and upwards for precisely the same programs that she will present in this city. Her programs here will be of a high musical standard, but not too heavy. She will sing almost entirely in English. When she sings French and Italian numbers she will translate them before singing them. No music lover should fail to hear this great singer. Under any other condition it would cost not less than \$1.50 for a ticket to Madame Zarad's concerts.

At the Best Today

An Artcraft picture with Elsie Ferguson as the star, will be shown at the Best theatre today. The scenario was written by Charles Maigne from the "Songs of Songs," a play which attracted wide attention when presented several years ago.

The production was directed by Joseph Kaufman, who has been staging Paramount pictures for some time with notable results. It was he who initiated George M. Cohan into the realms of screen work in "Broadway Jones" for Artcraft. Mr. Kaufman attended the first night performance of the stage play of "The Song of Songs" at the Eltinge theatre and liked it so much that he saw the presentation four times. By a strange coincidence, Elsie Ferguson, who now stars in the photoplay, was also present on the opening night of the play.

Mid-Week Service

This evening at 8 o'clock the regular mid-week Bible study and prayer service at the Methodist church will be held. The passage under discussion will be John 1:35-42, and the theme: "Bringing Others to Jesus." You are invited to this service.

PURE MILK FOR CITY PROPOSED

Dr. F. C. Rodda of the State University Hospital Speaker at Chamber of Commerce

CAMPAIGN OF EDUCATION

Recommended Survey of Brainerd. Inspection of Dairies Furnishing Milk to City

Pure milk for Brainerd, its importance and how to secure it, was discussed in an intelligent and interesting manner by Dr. F. C. Rodda of the State University hospital at the Chamber of Commerce rooms Wednesday evening. The discussion preceded the regular meeting of the Chamber and was heard by a number of prominent ladies of the city as well as members of the organization.

Dr. Rodda appeared before the Chamber at the invitation of the Health and Sanitation committee of which A. W. Ide is chairman.

In his opinion, the more practical way to improve the quality of milk in any community is by a campaign of education rather than by useless ordinances which are seldom put into actual effect. He recommended that a survey of the local situation be made by a competent expert, dairies furnishing milk to this city visited and inspected and the results of this survey reported to the committee.

Dr. Ide stated that arrangements were already being made with a representative of the State Board of Health to assist in this survey and that his committee would make an earnest effort to map out a practical plan for consideration.

Pure Milk Demanded.

Dr. Rodda stated that there are two motives which encourage the desire for pure milk in any community. These motives are the aesthetic, namely: the natural desire on the part of the public to have a cleanly product on their table; the second and more important, the matter of the health of a community.

There are three grades of milk used in the city of Minneapolis, namely: the original product, the inspected and the certified, the latter being the highest grade of milk and produced by herds which have been inspected and have come up to the certain degree of excellence.

The speaker dwelt upon the food elements of milk and called attention to the fact that milk with a 3% fat is more preferable for feeding infants than milk with a 7% fat. For this reason, he suggested that consumers are not too exacting in requiring a large quantity of cream on the top of milk bottles, which indicated fat composition in the milk itself.

Conveyer of Disease.

Milk is one of the most active conveyers of disease germs in the list of food consumed by man. Tuberculosis, diphtheria, typhoid and other contagious diseases have been traced to the milk used in a family. The health and cleanliness of the person extracting the milk from the cow is most important and he suggested that all dairymen make it a point that those who do the milking are free from disease themselves and cleanly in their person.

Herd Inspection.

Disease germs are often carried in the milk from infected herds and the inspection of these herds themselves is very important. The elimination of disease germs in milk is secured by the process of pasteurization. This must be well done or it becomes worse than nothing at all. In the opinion of the speaker, pasteurization plants will eventually be done away with for the reason that the process must be so carefully conducted to produce satisfactory results, that a large percentage of these plants have proven failures. He recommended the boiling of milk in the home, stating that it would kill the disease germs and insure a healthy product.

Important Movement.

The discussion was heard with much careful attention and was appreciated by the audience. The activity of the Chamber in bringing up this subject and endeavoring to conduct a campaign which will bring results was freely complimented by the speaker and by others who attended the meeting.

In thanking Dr. Rodda, President Thabes also thanked those who attended the meeting and urged that they co-operate with the Chamber in all its activities intended for civic betterment and the improvement of public health.

Probably Mamma Knew.

Little Elsie—"My papa's a minister, and that is best." Little Grace—"My papa's a lawyer, and that's best, too." Little Elsie—"No, your papa is not a really lawyer; he just practices law. But my papa is a really minister, because he just preaches and never practices. My mamma says so."—Judge.

Food

QUESTIONS ANSWERED

CORN.

What American crop is most valuable measured by its food value and production per acre?

Corn. One acre of corn gives nearly 150 pounds of digestible protein and more than 3,000,000 units of energy.

Why did we not send much corn to the Allies at first?

Partly because they lacked the facilities to handle it, and partly because they were unfamiliar with it and unready to take a strange foodstuff.

Are we shipping much corn now?

As much as possible. Is it true that corn meal does not keep well?

It does not keep as well as wheat.

Why do the Allies take corn now?

Because they have been educated to the use of corn.

What has this education accomplished?

In 18 months they have learned to use more corn products than we have learned to use in years. In what form is corn shipped?

In the grain, as flour, and as meal.

How much is used by the Allies in their breadstuffs?

From 25 per cent to 40 per cent. Why is corn so important?

Because it is valuable food with food by-products such as corn oil, sugar, and starch; it is a good substitute for wheat, and a splendid feed for live stock.

Is corn as nutritious as wheat?

Yes. What are the various corn foods?

Corn, corn meal, corn flour, cornstarch, corn syrup, corn oil, hominy, grits, samp.

DEALERS.

Does the Food Administration ask the co-operation of dealers and handlers of foodstuffs?

Yes; every one from producer and middleman to consumer is asked to co-operate.

What have food merchants done?

Representatives of all branches of food merchandising in the country have conferred with the administration and pledged their loyal support.

How is the problem of distribution dealt with?

By conference and by licensing. What is accomplished by conference?

The members of a trade agree on fair prices and practices; they agree to make short stocks go as far as possible, and to keep supply steady and prices even. What are the six trades that are called upon to bear the brunt of food saving?

Grocers, butchers, bakers, hotel and restaurant men, dealers in confectionery and ice cream, flour millers.

How have these classes helped in food conservation?

1. Grocers have limited sales and urged use of substitutes. 2. Butchers have limited sales and have meatless days. 3. Bakers have had profits kept down to pre-war basis. They have been cut in fancy breads, pastries, etc., and they are making Victory products. The prices of the ingredients of bread have risen 150 per cent, but price of bread less than 50 per cent.

4. Hotel men have helped to observe wheatless, meatless, and porkless days and have conserved in every way.

5. Confectioners were cut down to 50 per cent of their normal amount of sugar, since raised to 80 per cent.

6. Flour millers have done away with all gradings and done away with "fancy" flours. They all mill on the same basis.

What methods of economy have been successfully practiced in these businesses?

The "cash-and-carry" plan; standardizing prices and profits; eliminating waste; eliminating duplication of service; shortening store hours.

How can the housewife help the merchant in other ways?

By patronizing stores which display the merchants' pledge, by reporting unreasonable charges to her county or state Federal Food Administrator, who will take action under the law.

What is the merchant's pledge?

"We pledge ourselves to give our customers the benefit of fair and moderate prices, selling at no more than a reasonable profit above cost to us."

How to Save on Two Pounds of Sugar a Month.

Seven Ways for Daily Sugar Saving:

1. Use fresh fruits without sugar.
2. Cook dried fruits without additional sugar; they already contain sugar.
3. Can more fruit without sugar; put up fewer jams and jellies.
4. Use less sugar in tea and coffee; you will soon learn to like it better.
5. Avoid such sugar luxuries as candy, cakes, chewing gum, sweet drinks and sodas.
6. Use honey, maple sugar and syrups and other sweeteners when available.
7. Cut out all desserts or other dishes that require much sugar.

A Fight for Life

It has been fight or die for many of us in the past and the lucky persons are those who are now well because they heeded nature's warning signal in time to correct their trouble with that wonderful new discovery of Dr. Pierce's, called "An-uric." You should promptly heed these warnings, some of which are dizzy spells, backache, irregularity of the urine or the painful twinges of rheumatism, sciatica or lumbago. To delay may make possible the dangerous forms of kidney disease, such as stone in the bladder.

To overcome these distressing conditions take plenty of exercise in the open air, avoid a heavy meat diet, drink freely of water, and at each meal take Doctor Pierce's Anuric Tablets (double strength). You will, in a short time, find that you are one of the firm indorsees of Anuric.

ST. PAUL, MINN.—"For years I suffered from disordered kidneys. My back ached terribly, also my head. I let it run on until just lately, when I read in the papers of Anuric, and having known of Dr. Pierce and of his other medicines, I decided to try out this Anuric. I have been greatly benefited by it, and certainly advise everyone suffering as I did to take the Anuric Tablets."—Mrs. F. E. MARSHALL, 1007 Gaudier Street.

Step into the drug store and ask for Anuric, or send Dr. V. M. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y., for trial pkg. Anuric—many times more potent than lithia, eliminates uric acid as hot water melts sugar.



VIEWES GRAND FLEET

Congressman Is Impressed With Allied Naval Machine.

Line of Battleships and Cruisers Extends Over a Distance of Seventy-Eight Miles.

London, Aug. 22.—After visiting the Allied grand fleet, Congressman Charles H. Randall of California, who with several other American representatives has returned to London, issued a statement saying that he was profoundly impressed with the stupendous array of fighting craft.

The line of battleships and cruisers alone extends over a distance of 78 miles, the congressman said, and there are between 4,000 and 5,000 destroyers and smaller vessels of all sorts chasing submarines day and night about the British Isles. In conclusion Representative Randall declared:

"We are convinced that this Hun horror is eliminated as a serious factor."

FISHING CRAFT SUNK BY DIVER

Crews Reach Port With Tales of Piratage.

A Canadian Atlantic Port, Aug. 22.—The steam trawler Triumph, fitted with two guns and wireless, and manned by 16 Germans from the U-boat which captured it, is raiding the fishing banks off the Nova Scotia coast. Crews of the schooners sent by the Triumph have arrived here.

Vessels known to have been sunk by the converted raider are the Una F. Sanders of Lunenburg, the A. Platt Andrew of Gloucester, Mass., and the Francis J. O'Hara of Boston.



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Great French Singer Coming



MME. FRANCESCA ZARAD

Madame Zarad, the distinguished French prima donna of the Chicago Grand Opera Company, who will be heard in concerts in the 1st M. E. Church next Tuesday and Wednesday nights, was the leading dramatic soprano of the Vienna Grand Opera Company when the war began. On account of Madame Zarad's French parentage, the secret service of Vienna hounded the fair singer. Madame Zarad is devoting her summer vacation singing for the fund for the blinded soldiers of the allies. She will present two programs in this city.

What Will Happen to Y. M. C. A. War Fashions



MRS. EDWARD ELLIS

Gaze upon the hat of Miss Leonard Y. M. C. A. secretary in the United States today for service abroad, and gaze upon the hat of Mrs. Edward Ellis, Y. M. C. A. secretary in London. Mrs. Ellis invented her own hat, and she insists it is much more becoming to her than the hat of Miss Leonard. No mere man among the Y. M. C. A. authorities has had sufficient power to make her substitute the regulation hat. Miss Leonard seems to look very good in the hat prescribed by the rules. Anyway, she does not object to it.

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RAIDER IS IN ATLANTIC

Naval Vessels of Various Types
 Are Sent in Pursuit.

German Diver Seizes Fishing Boat and
 Arms It to Prey on
 Commerce.

Washington, Aug. 22.—A wireless dispatch is confidently awaited by navy department officials telling of the capture or destruction of the trawler Triumph, which was seized by a German submarine, a German crew put aboard, the vessel armed and started on a raiding expedition against the defenseless fleet of fishing smacks operating on the Grand Banks.

Every precaution has been taken, it was said, to prevent the raider from slipping through the line stretched around the fishing region.

The department, through Admiral Benson, acting secretary, requested newspapers to make no mention of the type of small craft being employed in the hunt. It was said, however, that these are numerous and swift enough to make the eventual apprehension of the converted fishing vessel absolutely certain unless the enemy crew destroys the ship or attempts to engage one of the pursuers in unequal combat.

Operations of the raider have resulted in the sinking of four fishing vessels and probably others, according to reports at hand. Schooners known to have been sunk are the Una P. Saunders and the Lucille Schure of Lunenburg, N. S., the A. Platt Andrew of Gloucester, Mass., and the Francis J. O'Hara of Boston.

DEFEAT GENERAL BERNHARDI

British Severely Maul Forces of German Military Writer.

London, Aug. 22.—The present series of German defeats have involved a German officer who is perhaps better known to the reading public of the Allied nations than almost any of the German generals.

He is General Bernhardt, the author of the famous books which so frankly revealed Germany's war aims. He commands the Fifty-sixth corps of the Sixth army, which has been steadily driven back by the British across the plain of Lys toward Armentieres.

The Fifty-fifth corps has been badly hit in endeavoring to hold the Merville salient confronting the forest of Nieppe.

YANKS AMBUSH 40 GERMANS

Officer and Seven Men Perform Daring Feat.

With the American Army in Lorraine, Aug. 22.—Military activity on the battlefield in the Vosges was marked by two patrol encounters. An American patrol, consisting of one officer and seven men, ambushed a German patrol of 40 men.

Describes German Treachery.

Milwaukee, Aug. 22.—Even the German "kamerad" often carries with him treacherous murder, according to Sergeant Joseph Reddy, just returned from several months' active service in France. "The German is now carrying a small pistol which fits into the palm of the hand and is operated by one finger," says Reddy. "Thus when the captor advances toward the seemingly defenseless soldier it is an easy matter for him to fire the treacherous little weapon."

BILL IS GRANTED
RIGHT OF WAY

House and Senate Will Rush Passage of New Draft Legislation.

AMENDMENTS MAY FAIL

Measure Takes Precedence Over Other Pending Bills and Indications Are It Will Pass in Its Original Form.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The House and Senate are prepared to turn their attention exclusively to the manpower bill, extending the army draft age limits from 18 to 45 years, to provide the force counted upon to conquer Germany next year.

Debate on the measure will begin simultaneously in the Senate and House with the passage expected within a few days.

Given Right of Way.

Exclusive right of way was given by the House to the measure when it was reported by the military committee, with the amendment to defer calling youths of 18 and 19 years of age until all those 20 and older are summoned.

The Senate has set aside its three day recess program for the special purpose of taking up the bill. If not passed before next Monday, when the national prohibition measure would become privileged, the bill probably will be held before the Senate until passed, prohibition leaders having agreed to lay their measure aside temporarily.

Expected to Pass.

Passage of the bill by an overwhelming vote in both houses with the age limits of 18 to 45 unchanged is deemed certain in all quarters. The only serious controversies expected are over the "work or fight" amendment of the Senate military committee and the House committee's amendment postponing service for boys of 18 or 19.

Opponents of the latter amendment, to which administration spokesmen have made strong objections, predicted it would be stricken out and the President left with authority proposed in the administration draft, to fix the order of calling all classes. For the "work or fight" legislation, opposed by organized labor, Chairman Chamberlain and Senator Thomas of Colorado, its author, are prepared to make a vigorous fight with its disposition in doubt.

SHORTEN LINE FIFTY MILES

Allied Successes Wipe Out Salients in Battle Front.

Washington, Aug. 22.—As a result of the Allied successes during the last month the battlefront in France from Rheims to the North sea has been reduced in length more than 50 miles. General P. C. March, chief of staff, told newspaper men in his mid-week conference.

When the Germans began their last advance the line stretched for 250 miles. It is now less than 200 miles.

The success of the enlarged American program of the war department, General March said, still is dependent upon the acquisition of adequate shipping, and while the emergency fleet corporation is constantly swelling the tonnage at the army's disposal, it is still necessary to charter and hire many additional ships.

GOVERNMENT WILL BENEFIT

Henry Ford to Return All His Profits on War Work.

Detroit, Aug. 22.—Henry Ford, through his private secretary, announced that he will return to the United States government all the profits he personally makes on war contract work.

He added that he expected a number of the other stockholders of the Ford Motor company would follow his example.

The contracts awarded by the government to the Ford Motor company amount to several million dollars.

TO PASS THROUGH FINLAND

Number of Americans Preparing to Leave Russia.

Washington, Aug. 22.—No objection will be raised by the Finnish government to the passage through Finland of Americans seeking to escape from Russia. The State department was advised through the Swedish foreign office.

The exact number of Americans involved is not known here, but Secretary Lansing said he thought there were about 100, most of them Y. M. C. A. and American Red Cross workers.

Spain's Policy Unchanged.

Madrid, Aug. 22.—Gen. Jose Marina, the minister of war, has declared that the internal situation gave no occasion for alarm on the part of Spain. The note recently sent by the Spanish government to Berlin regarding the sinking of Spanish ships by German submarines, he said was written in a firmer tone than previous notes, but it could not bring a change in Spain's attitude of neutrality, much less a rupture of diplomatic relations with Germany.

YANKEES TURNED
TIDE OF BATTLE

THAT IS THE OPINION OF THE WASHINGTON OFFICIALS, BUT IT IS NOT EXPRESSED.

WOULD NOT OFFEND ALLIES

They Already Have Won Undying Glory—Politicians Watch Effect of President's Influence on Candidates' Fortunes.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington.—Americans turned the tide on the western front. No official in authority in Washington will give public expression to that declaration because it might be offensive to our allies. It is a fact they all believe, and probably accounts for the earnest wish which has been heard expressed so frequently of late that we had three times the number of American troops in France that are now available, in order that the tide which has been turned might quite overwhelm the Huns. There is no reason why our allies should be offended at even an official expression to the effect that the Americans have turned the tide on the western battle front, for the others won undying fame and glory during the four years that they have held the greatest military force ever known and prevented Germany from over-running the world.

As long as time endures there will be praise enough for the valor of French, English, Canadians, Australians, Scotch, and all others who for four years fought in the greatest war the world has known. But nevertheless, it is a fact that the American troops turned the tide of battle and gave the allies a victory where there were grave fears of defeat. It is also true that the Americans have made it impossible for anything like a successful Hun offensive toward Paris or the channel ports.

Politicians have been watching with a great deal of interest the effect of President Wilson's influence upon the fortunes of Democrats who are candidates for offices in several states. A recent statement says that "the president makes it plain that he does not pretend to suggest how voters shall vote for different candidates," but the letters that he has written usually contain a positive declaration against a particular man and there seems to be no doubt that the intention is to defeat that candidate. For the most part presidential letters of this kind have a good deal of effect upon office-seekers. Any candidate for a federal job is almost sure to be influenced to vote against a man whom the president designates as undesirable. In the past, and it was particularly true during the Roosevelt administration, the opposition of the president to any person in his party was fatal. This will probably be true to a great extent in several states, but in others the personality of the candidate may win for him in spite of the presidential disapproval.

There is going to be no lack of pictures to illustrate this war. Even during the Civil war, when photography was very crude compared to what it is at the present time, many pictures were taken and the Civil war was fairly well illustrated by photographs. But in this war, with photography in a high state of perfection, it is certain that the illustrations of the battle fields in Europe as well as the war work, both at home and abroad, will receive a great deal of attention and the story can almost be told by these pictures.

A great many provisions are made for the comfort of the United States officials, and particularly for the senate. But one thing very much lacking is a system whereby senators can keep cool on a hot day. The house of representatives is nothing like as stuffy and close in summer as the senate, although there is no apparent difference in ventilation. However, on some sides the hall of the house opens directly on corridors which are liberally provided with large windows, while the senate is entirely surrounded by committee rooms. Five electric fans suspended from the ceiling fully 25 feet in the air are not very effective, and the only thing that seems to satisfy most of the senators is one of those ancient, hand-propelled palm leaf fans.

Senator John H. Bankhead of Alabama had a very easy time in the recent primary. So easy, in fact, that he did not leave Washington during the progress of the primary. Alabama is a state that elects its senators as long as they live.

Keep Out of Wrong Box.

Sidney Smith once said something like this:

"It is better to be the Napoleon of Bootblacks or the Alexander of Chimneysweepers than a briefless and shallow-pated attorney, who, like necessity, knows no law—watching for victims in an unswept chamber where cobwebs in dusty magnificence hang, and there to eke out a miserable existence when he might have been happy behind the plow or opulent behind the counter."

In other words, don't get into the wrong box.

Autocratic Rulers of Germany Proven Most
Inhuman and Tyrannical Enemies

By BARTOW A. ULRICH
 Author of "Abraham Lincoln" and "Constitutional Government"

William II, king of Prussia, and the constitutional president of the German empire, with the nominal title of "emperor," proved at first to be an advocate of peace, and was a popular ruler up to the commencement of the war precipitated with savage haste, after long premeditation and preparation. His entire peace pretensions were deceptive and hypocritical. He and the autocratic rulers of the twenty-five states of Germany, meeting secretly in the bundesrath, behind locked doors, deliberately planned the hellish scheme of deluging Europe in blood, fire and desolation. They have surpassed the most treacherous devices of Machiavelli, as depicted in his celebrated, brutal book, "The Prince."

So far the German states, headed by the emperor-king, William II, have been the most destructive, inhuman, tyrannical and treacherous enemies of the human race which the world has ever known.

Emperor William II, under the German constitution, possesses the power to control these forces, to stop or continue the carnage, and to enforce civilized methods of warfare. He has misused and still is misusing the powers given into his hands, without any effort on his part, through the previous labors and devices of Bismarck and the former kings of Prussia. He has trod the continent of Europe like an impersonation of Satan, the arch-demon of destruction, trampling men, women and children in the blood-soaked mire, beneath his cloven hoof.

The great conflict now raging in Europe between the central powers and the United States and its allies is a war of democracy against despotic military autocracy, which fights to rule the world.

This new entente, including the United States, is not only fighting its own battles, but it is also indirectly fighting the cause of democracy, including Germany, heretofore dominated by the Hohenzollern dynasty, which has gradually absorbed the greater part of the German empire.

In a book entitled "The Psychology of the Kaiser," by Morton Prince, it is stated that in the consciousness of the kaiser there is nothing that is more dominant than his increasing and violent antipathy to the great body of citizens constituting no less than one-third of the empire, namely, the social democrats.

The empire of Germany is ruled by the representatives of the old Hohenzollern family, with centuries of aggressive wars to its credit, or discredit, through Prussia, which they control and which comprises two-thirds of Germany. The question now arises, can Prussia and the other German states stem the rising tide of democracy which is sweeping all before it? Are not the people of the central powers weary of the rule and oppression of kings, emperors and czars?

Seemingly Small Sacrifices Are Apt to
Appear to Be Too Trivial

By HARRISON RHODES, of the Vigilantes

Do Your Best, but Don't Neglect Your Bit.

There has been no better motto invented for war time than our American variation of the English phrase—we say:

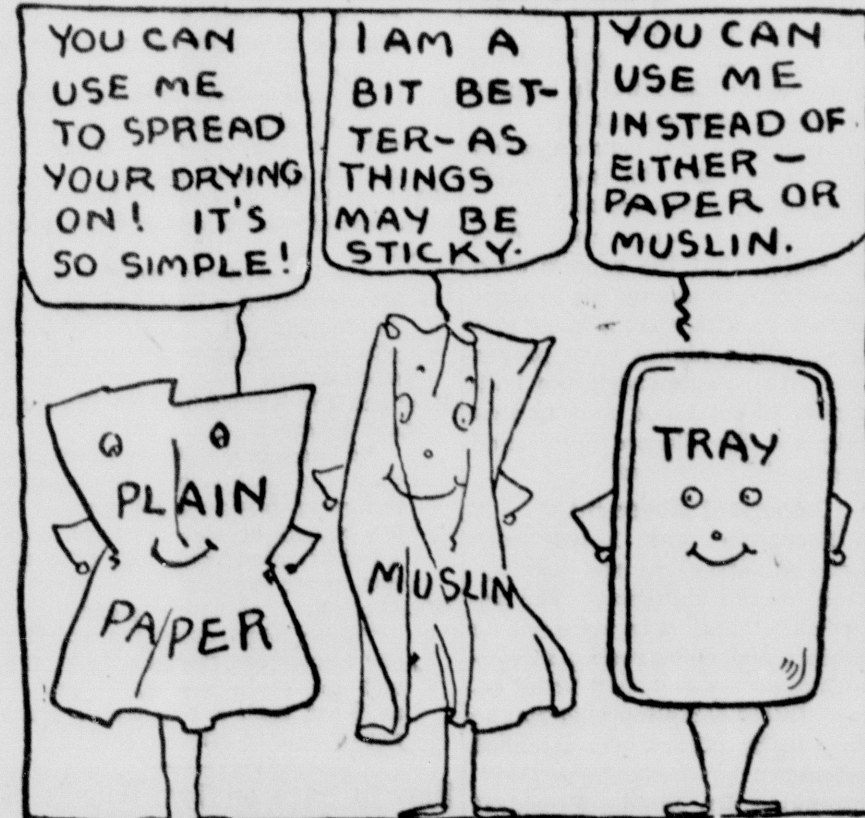
Don't Do Your Bit. Do Your Best.

But we must watch out how we carry out even the instructions of a good motto. As the wave of patriotism rises some people grow impatient of the small things they find to do as their part in the war. They feel that they would be capable of the great sacrifices and the great heroisms. They want to go to France. They want to give and do their all. But when they cannot they sometimes give and do nothing.

It is so hard to believe that a bit is your best. Don't believe it—it is probably only your best for the time being. But do it.

We are already beginning to realize that the heroism of the stay-at-home is often dull, unromantic and hard to achieve. Do the big things if you can; be gallant and reckless and make your whole country proud of you. But if you cannot, do the small things; be patient and cheerful and make your neighborhood glad you live there.

HERE'S THREE OF A KIND



FOR SUN DRYING OF VEGETABLES AND FRUITS THE SIMPLEST FORM IS TO SPREAD THE SLICES OR PIECES ON SHEETS OF PLAIN PAPER OR LENGTHS OF MUSLIN. MUSLIN IS TO BE PREFERRED IF THERE IS DANGER OF STICKING. TRAYS MAY BE USED INSTEAD OF PAPER OR MUSLIN.

NATIONAL WAR GARDEN COMMISSION
 WASHINGTON, D.C.

What to do with them is told in a free drying book that will be sent any reader of this paper who sends a two-cent stamp for postage to the National War Garden Commission at Washington.

Best Theatre

Paramount Pictures

TODAY

Elsie Ferguson

— IN —

"The Song of Songs"

— ALSO —

Weekly Current Events

Shows 7:45 & 9:15

Admission 10 & 20c

Prices Quoted Include War Tax.

Tomorrow

DOROTHY DALTON

— In —

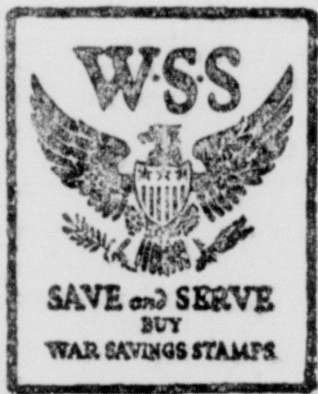
"GREEN EYES"

Owing to some error at the exchange we will have to show this picture instead of Chas. Ray in "His Own Town"

Shows 3:00, 7:45 and 9:15

Admission 10 and 20c

War Tax Included in Admission Quoted



Contributed by the Brainerd Dispatch

THE DISPATCH

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4-MINUTE MEN TO SPEAK SOON

Series of Talks Commencing August 26 on the Subject "Where Did You Get Your Facts?"

AID LIBERTY BOND CAMPAIGN

Opportunity for Public Spirited Men in Brainerd to Join 4-Minute Men Ranks

The 4-Minute Men of Brainerd have a busy time ahead of them, according to instructions received by the chairman, F. T. Lincoln, from Washington Wednesday. They will begin a series of short talks August 26th on the subject, "Where Did You Get Your Facts?" This subject will be discussed from August 26th to September 7th and immediately following that, another campaign is on the schedule.

The chairman has received instructions from Washington to co-operate with the chairman of the Fourth Liberty Loan campaign and Mr. Lincoln will confer with Chairman Carl Zapffe in the near future with an idea of giving the best efforts of the 4-Minute Men to this important campaign. The 4-Minute Men chairman has been requested to submit suggestions in the line of publicity for the next official bulletin of that organization and is busy preparing these suggestions this week.

The importance of the 4-Minute Men organization and its usefulness in bringing home to the people important facts in connection with all war activities, has been made very plain and Brainerd has a number of good speakers listed. Owing to the fact that a number are on their vacations, there has been a falling off in the number of available speakers.

Any man who is willing to do his bit in this respect and give four minute talks under the direction of the 4-Minute Men's organization, is urged to offer his services to Mr. Lincoln, as they are much needed and will be greatly appreciated.

The line of argument is made up in bulletin form, with pertinent suggestions as to just how to put the subject before the people in the brief period of time allowed. It is good discipline for speakers and an opportunity afforded to co-operate with the government in this respect which should not be overlooked.

DEERWOOD MEN AT THE SALE

Attended the Government Sale of Automobiles Held at Brainerd on August 20

TRIAL OF IMPORTANT CASE

Held in Deerwood Justice Court—Western Newspaper Union Man Visits Deerwood

Deerwood, Minn., Aug. 22—Deerwood was represented in the bidding for government automobiles at Brainerd. John Humphrey was present. Charles G. Osterlund and many others.

The Shannon Inn is daily gaining a large clientele of range people and tourists.

The Cash and Carry system was inaugurated on August 21.

Many Deerwood people will attend the state fair, making the trip in automobiles.

Mrs. James McCarvill was a Brainerd visitor during the week.

E. Huntington, former newspaper man in Windom, was in Deerwood in the interests of the Western Newspaper Union.

The Methodist Ladies' Aid was entertained by Mrs. William Knuppel. Revival meetings have been held in town.

Miss Adele Coffin was visiting with friends in Little Falls.

County Atty. S. F. Alderman was in Deerwood representing the state in the case against Sherman Renicker, the latter being charged with impersonating Jess Smith and securing a bill of goods from the Orcland storekeeper, Mr. Engstrom. The jury found him guilty and he was fined \$30 and costs or 60 days. An appeal was taken.

Rain fell the middle of the week, interfering with haying. Threshing is not yet fairly under way.

Bert Stott of the Brainerd police force was in the city.

STORM WEDNESDAY

Some Damage to Transformers, Good Soaking Rain Greatly Benefited Lawns and Gardens

A good soaking rain, some 0.82 inches, fell near midnight Thursday morning and benefited lawns and gardens. Some damage was done to transformers by wind and lightning.

FORDSON TRACTOR TO AID

Woodhead Motor Co. Makes Proposition to Farmers to Relieve Shortage Teams and Labor

There is no denying the shortage of farm labor and teams in Crow Wing county and to relieve the situation the Woodhead Motor Co. of Brainerd has offered its Fordson tractor to aid the farmers.

They will plow land at \$2.50 an acre and among the first to take advantage are R. R. Wise who has a large acreage on North Long Lake; George Cosette, who has a farm near Merrifield; Judd Wright, who has a farm west of the river near Brainerd. Others are listing their names and acreage.

The company now has two tractors at work.

REGULAR MEETING CHAMBER COMMERCE

Regular Order of Business Set Aside First and Milk Ordinance Question Brought Up

DR. F. C. RODDA WAS SPEAKER

Brainerd Advertised in Scenic Highway Book, Signs to be Placed at Little Falls

The regular meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held on Wednesday evening with President J. A. Thabes presiding.

The regular order of business was set aside in order that members and citizens might hear a discussion of the milk ordinance question by Dr. F. C. Rodda of the State University. The chair called attention to the fact that a special committee of the Chamber is now obtaining data on the milk ordinance question with an idea of submitting suggestions for an ordinance governing the handling of the same in Brainerd. Dr. Rodda gave an interesting discussion of the question and was tendered a vote of thanks at the close of his address.

The regular order of business was resumed.

Report of the Retail Trade committee concurred in the recommendation of the Chamber that an increase of 5% commission be allowed the public market master was read and on motion of Wise and Gemmell accepted.

Report of the Health and Sanitation committee, Dr. A. W. Ide, chairman, asking more time for report to the Chamber on the Milk Ordinance question was read and on motion of Gemmell and Hurley accepted and further time granted.

Report of the Good Roads Committee, showing sum of \$152.50 collected to defray expenses of advertising Brainerd in the Scenic Highway book read and on motion duly made and seconded accepted with the thanks of the Chamber for the excellent work of the chairman, S. R. Adair and committee.

Resolution relative to the handling of the waters in the upper Mississippi in such a manner as to protect shore lines and maintain the level of Gull lake and other lakes in this locality presented and on motion of Wise and Gemmell, the same referred to a committee of five, appointed by the chair to report at the next meeting. The chairman appointed C. L. Mott chairman, C. A. Albright and R. R. Wise with the privilege of selecting two other members of the committee.

Applications for membership of Dr. W. I. Morell and Walter E. Hill were presented and on motion voted on collectively. The secretary reported 16 votes cast, all favorable and the applicants were declared duly elected into the corporation.

The secretary reported receipt of a communication from Minneapolis parties, recommending that suitable signs be placed at Little Falls to indicate the route from that city to Brainerd as tourists were being diverted to other routes when in fact, they were seeking the road to Brainerd and vicinity. The chair appointed as a special committee to place these signs C. A. Albright, chairman, F. E. Stout and Neal O'Brien. Method of financing the purchase of these signs was not discussed.

NOTICE

In order to comply with the wishes of the food administration we will go on a cash and carry system Sept. 1st. There will be no delivery direct to consumers after Friday, Aug. 30th. Delivery to stores, hotels and restaurants will continue as before.

68th ERICSSON BROS. BAKERY.

Unbusinesslike Transaction.

Probably the smallest money order ever sent from Eatonton, Ga., was sent recently. A man walked into the post office, asking for a money order for three cents, which he owed to his society, and he said he would have to send a money order, as it didn't take stamps. The money order cost him three cents, and it took a two-cent stamp to send the order.

OVERFLOW ON HAY LANDS

War Department August 12 Gets a Report From District Engineer on Lands Affected

BY RESERVOIR OVERFLOWAGE

Government Has Wide Flowage Rights it Acquired, Not Full Discharge this Season

The following is quoted from a report made by the district engineer to the war department in response to the inquiry into the overflow of hay lands in the Leech Lake reservoir, made at the request of the Northern Minnesota Development association, the report being first filed with Senators Knute Nelson and Frank B. Kellogg of Minnesota who placed the request of the association before the war department:

From report:

"The flowage line of Pokegama reservoir when full is 12 feet on the gauge. The present reading is 9.85 feet and the reservoir is practically stationary. It is unlikely that it will rise this fall as all the water that can be supplied from Winnibigoshish and Leech Lake reservoirs (which discharge into Pokegama) must be discharged on the river below. As the present stage is over two feet below the flowage line it would seem that there is no occasion for worry on the part of the haymakers as there will be a large acreage of reservoir flowage land available for cutting hay. That full advantage of the opportunity will be taken is extremely doubtful in my opinion.

"This is a recurrence of the constant fight between navigation and agricultural interests. The government has acquired flowage rights around Pokegama reservoir to a height about four feet above the flowage line when full, or over 6 feet above the present water surface. Of course when the reservoir is low, the owners of land adjacent have the opportunity to cut hay on more land than when it is full. But they have absolutely no rights in the matter if the government finds it necessary or desirable to fill the reservoir. As before stated, it is not likely that the reservoir will rise this season. It is much more likely to fall, and I recommend that the interested parties be so informed."

The division engineer in forwarding the papers comments thereon as follows:

"The question presented appears to relate to the closing of discharge from Pokegama dam during summer of 1918. As stated by the district engineer, the present condition of the reservoirs is such that a full discharge will be necessary and it is not likely the reservoirs will rise this season, or that the cutting of the available hay will be interfered with."

NEWTON IS NAMED DEPARTMENT AGENT

L. F. Newton, since federal control of the railways, general agent of the government railroad administration in charge of the troop movement section in Camp Lewis, has been promoted to the position of department general agent with offices in San Francisco. Previous to the taking over of the railroads by the government, Mr. Newton was general agent in camp for the American Railway association and in charge of the movement of troop trains en route both to and from there. He is succeeded by J. F. Coleman, former trainmaster for the Northern Pacific railway.

Mr. Newton was formerly trainmaster on the Lake Superior division of the Northern Pacific railroad and is well known in Brainerd.

STEAMER MONTANAN IS SUNK

American Army Supply Ship Torpedoed in Foreign Waters.

Washington, Aug. 22.—The American steamer Montanan, of 6,555 tons gross, was torpedoed and sunk in foreign waters Aug. 16 with the probable loss of three members of the civilian crew and two members of the naval armed guard, the Navy department announced. Eighty-one survivors were landed.

The Montanan was in the service of the quartermaster's department of the army and was used as a supply ship.

YANKEES RAID ENEMY TOWN

Machines Return Safely After Dropping Bombs.

With the American Army in France, Aug. 22—American aviators bombed Flabouville, in the department of Muerthe-et-Moselle, and scored many hits, some of them direct ones, on the railroad tracks. The airplanes returned safely, notwithstanding the heavy anti-aircraft fire directed against them.

IS SENTENCED

Louis Klum, Arrested a Second Time for Trying to Run Indian Treaty Blockade

(Duluth News Tribune)
Louis Klum, who appeared in federal court last June to answer to a charge of violating Indian liquor laws on the Cuyuna range, and was again arrested and brought before Judge Page Morris on a similar charge. A previous sentence of six months in jail, which was suspended during good behavior, was ordered imposed and Klum was committed to the St. Louis county jail for six months and ordered to pay a fine of \$100.

STUMP BLOWING DEMONSTRATIONS

County Agent E. A. Colquhoun Has Arranged With Dupont Powder Co. for a Series

AUGUST 29 TO 31 INCLUSIVE

Will be Held at Farmers Club at Farms Designated, Public Invited to Attend

County Agent E. A. Colquhoun has arranged with the Dupont Powder Company for a series of stump blowing demonstrations in the county Aug. 29 to 31 inclusive. The purpose of the demonstrations is to show how best to use dynamite in connection with stump blowing. It is often the case that dynamite is not used to the best advantage in this work, and these demonstrations will serve to clear up this situation.

Demonstrations have been arranged at the following places: Thursday, Aug. 29th, at ten o'clock, at the Twin Lakes Farmers' club, midway between Pequot and Nisawa on the farm of J. J. Borst.

Friday forenoon at nine o'clock on the farm of Swan Berkland, seven miles southwest of Brainerd. Friday afternoon at two o'clock, at Nokay Lake Farmers' club, on the farm of Otto Tynkkynen, ten miles east of Brainerd.

Saturday, at ten o'clock, on the farm of Ira Johnston, Pelican Lake Farmers' club, five miles east of Pequot.

The public is invited to attend any of these demonstrations that they desire to. Opportunity will be given for discussion as to the use of dynamite and it is hoped that a large number may be present.

BRAINERD FOOD DISTRIBUTOR'S ASS'N

A meeting was held by the executive board of the Brainerd Food Distributor's association in the Ransford reading rooms August 21, and the following committees were appointed:

FAIR PRICE COMMITTEE
A. E. Berglund, chairman, N. Brady, secretary, G. W. Smith, V. H. Drossen, Lars Erickson, C. H. Mills, W. H. Cleary, Joseph Vadnais, I. J. Storzbach, John A. Hoffbauer, Chris Erickson of Eagle Provision Co.

ADVISORY BOARD
Theodore Schaefer, K. S. Bredenberg, F. C. Shranklin, Ole Larson, O. S. Swanson, S. E. Engbretson, Louis Tanner, B. S. Armstrong, J. W. Koop, John A. Hoffbauer, D. E. Wadsworth, Guerdon Wilcox, Carl Bentley, John Larson.

The advisory board will meet at the Food Administration office, 212 Iron Exchange at 8 o'clock Friday, Aug. 23.

A letter will be mailed to every member of the committee advising them of their appointment and also of the meeting to be held.

LONG FAMOUS IN HISTORY

Vicissitudes of Old City of Jerusalem May Be Said to Be Without a Parallel.

The capture of Jerusalem by English troops recalls the tragic and fascinating story of that day, which carries us back through the mist of ages to the days when the throne of David was established within its walls. From that date we pass to the glories of the temple built by Solomon, which for centuries was to stand as the center and pivot of the Jewish nation and faith. The time came, however, when her days were numbered, and the drama of Calvary was followed a few years later by the onslaught of Titus, the Roman emperor, who encompassed the city round on every side and leveled it to the ground.

Round its ruined walls Saracen and Crusader were to fight continuously for its possession, and Christian knights flocked from all lands to the rescue of the holy places, until in 1099 Godfrey de Bouillon defeated his enemies and was chosen as the first Christian king of Jerusalem.

Following this, for a considerable period the city remained in Christian hands, until in 1517 it was captured by the Turks.

Children's School Dresses

We have just placed on sale a beautiful line of school gingham dresses. These are mostly plaids in dark shades, made with long sleeves.

Children's School Hosiery

Never was there better school hosiery than the CADET hosiery for boys and girls. Reinforced at the knees and toes with linen that resist the hard wear. Heavy and light weights.

H. F. Michael Co.

ELECTRICITY ON THE FARM

The Woodhead Motor Co. just completed installation of a Delco-Light plant and water pressure system on the modern farm of Roney LaFlem.

A Delco-Light plant brightens the home of Andrew Erickson. The electricity is used for running the milking machine, water pump and cream separator as well as lighting his farm.

Philip Betzold had a Delco installed in his new house.

REV. WALTER KOSBAB

Preached Sunday Morning in Aitkin and on Sunday Evening in the Brainerd Church

Rev. Walter Kosbab, well known Brainerd young man, has returned to Springfield, Ill., to resume his studies at the theological seminary.

Sunday morning he preached at a church in the vicinity of Aitkin and in the evening at the Brainerd church corner of Broadway and Main street north. Some of his old friends of the Minnesota & International railroad were elated over the patriotic and orthodox sermon he delivered. One old engineer exclaimed: "I would not have thought it possible that our operator and agent at Walker would preach as stirring a sermon as that."

Rev. Kosbab was at one time Western Union operator with the veteran key man David R. Craig, at the local office and took up the study for the ministry in 1913.

ROLL OF HONOR

Dick Johnson has left Camp Grant, Ill., and proceeded to the point of embarkation and will leave for France on Sept. 1.

Lieut. Stewart Mills, home on a furlough, will soon return to Camp Custer, Mass., where the 10th regular of the infantry are located. They expect to leave on October 15 for Siberia.

Lieut. H. C. Mills is now in France. Private J. C. O'Connor, son of Mrs. Kate O'Connor, is now in 52 Co., 13th Battalion, 166th Depot Brigade, at Camp Lewis, American Lake, Wash. It is a fine camp, he said, and no man should avoid service in the army. He is decked out in his new uniform. 2,000 expect to leave for Siberia soon. Some have sore arms from anti-typhoid shots.

Interpreter Wm. V. Turcotte, of the intelligence department of the army, has arrived safely in France and is already trying out his French and doing the best to get rid of any American accent.

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Advertising cannot accomplish the impossible any more than barren ground can yield rich crop.

But how advertising does make things hum when the product and proposition are right, the men and methods above board, when there's an honest purpose and earnest effort from bundle boy to general manager to serve efficiency, to deal honestly, to sell good goods, to price fairly.

Oil up the machinery of your business, imbue your organization with the spirit of true service, make your business worthy of the good will, the confidence, the patronage of the people.

In this fertile field then sow the seed of advertising and it will bring forth abundant crops in increased business and augmented prestige.

Your store news in the Dispatch will be read in practically every home in Brainerd and vicinity every evening.

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Brainerd Iron & Metal Co.

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